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REMARKS

Thorough examination and careful review of the application by the Examiner is noted and appreciated.

The Applicants' representative hereby affirms an election of claims 1-11 per his telephone conversation with the Examiner on May 29, 2003. Claims 12-20 are hereby cancelled and require no further consideration by the Examiner.

Based on the foregoing, the Applicants respectfully submit that all of the pending claims, i.e. claims 1-5 and 7-12, are now in condition for allowance. Such favorable action by the Examiner at an early date is respectfully solicited. In the event that the present invention is not in a condition for allowance for any other reasons, the Examiner is respectfully invited to call the Applicants' representative at his Bloomfield Hills, Michigan office at (248) 540-4040 such that necessary action may be taken to place the application in a condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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